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Applicant:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the period for filing the Appeal Brief by an additional month, to and including April 17, 2006 (April 16, 2006 being a Sunday). The Director is requested to charge the fee for the requested extension, \$570.00 (the fee of \$1590.00 was previously paid on March 15, 2006 in conjunction with a response filed on that date), to our Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Any additional fees required to render the concurrently-filed Notice of Appeal timely may also be charged to, and any overcharge may be credited to, the same account.

Respectfully submitted,

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